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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Bo Pi et al.                      Art Unit :            2874  
Serial No.: 10/064,201                      Examiner :            Therese Barber  
Filed : June 20, 2002  
Title : FIBER TAP MONITOR BASED ON EVANESCENT COUPLING

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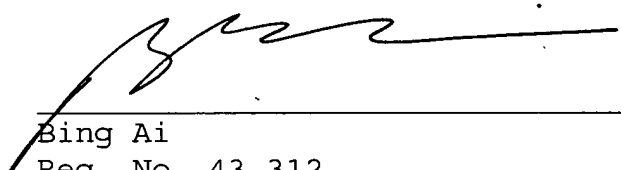
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Respectfully submitted,

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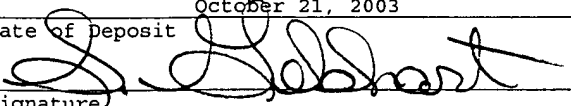
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